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In re Divisional Application of:)
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Talal G. SHAMOON et al.) Prior Group Art Unit: 2171
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For: METHODS AND APPARATUS)
FOR PERSISTENT CONTROL)
AND PROTECTION OF CONTENT)

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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